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W. R. SELICK & CO.—DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES

AN ANXIOUS INQUIRY

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For long years the people of this country have been living in the shadows of a great big interrogation point, like the monster called the Sphinx, which propounded the prize conundrum. The poet who asked:

"OH WHAT SO RARE AS A DAY IN JUNE", gets his reply at last: Days are not so rare in June, there's 30 of them, but the store that equals ours in giving bargains don't exist.

**SPECIAL PRICES FOR
Saturday, Monday and Tuesday,
JUNE 8, 10, 11.**

Gilt Edge Shoe Dressing	19c
Crochet Cotton	4c
Dress Stays, per set,	9c
Belt Pins, each,	5c
Belt Buckles and Belts	
Curling Irons	5c
Men's Suspenders at	15 and 19c
Jersey Vests, each,	5c
Mosquito Net	4c
Men's and Boys' Outing Shirts at	23c
Heavy 10 cent Shirting at	8c
Choice of our 8, 10 and 12 1/2 Dress Gingham at	8c
Choice styles in Scotch Lawns	5c
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Ladies' Percale Wrappers, Full Skirt, Large Sleeves, splendidly made in all respects, price	\$1.75
Ladies' Night Robes. See them. Extra value, at	\$1.00
All Wool 46 inch Serges, which others get 58c to 65c, we sell at 50c	
The best All Linen Crash at	10 and 12 1/2c
Mexican Hammocks	75c
Men's Straw Hats, the 60c kind, at	48c
Ladies' Shirt Waists 43c and upwards.	
Ladies' Oxford Ties at	98c and \$1.25
All Wool Ingrain Carpets at	50c
China Matting at	15, 20, 25 and 35c

W. R. SELICK & CO.

GOODALE—FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING.

Turn this over and Read
Carefully.

And many other things too numerous to mention

00 22	04 00 22	PARTOR SUITS
00 05	04 05 8	LOUNGES
00 05	04 00 11	BEDROOM SUITS
00 25	04 00 9	BOOK CASES
00 11	04 25 7	OAK ROCKERS
00 06	04 00 2	DINING CHAIRS
00 11	04 25 7 8	REED CHAIRS

LOOK AT THESE PRICES!

Special Attention given to UNDERTAKING. FINEST LINE of CASKETS in the county. Prompt attendance and Satisfaction Guaranteed. Orders may be left at Dyckman House, nights and Sundays.

E. L. GOODALE, Agent.

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No doubt you have heard us say something about Spray Pumps. We can't help being somewhat enthusiastic about it, and no doubt you have noticed yourself how very successful we were in producing what has proved to be needed. But when you get through spraying, don't put the pump away in the corn crib, for you may need to use the crib in the fall, even if it seems doubtful now. Then, too, you know they are just the thing to use in cleaning the buggy and washing the windows (on the outside, we mean, of course).

Does your garden look a trifle too seedy for the time of year? Then how would it do to let "Old Sol" warm a barrel or two of water during the day, and spray it on the thirsty plants when "Sol" isn't in it? What ever you do, don't be afraid of the pump; it was made to be used.

We like to see you going home with a new tool, large or small. It gives us new hopes and ambition, and we forget for a moment how much our last legislature has and will have cost us. But if you have any idea it would pay you to "fix up" an old tool, it would be well to speak to us about it. It is possible you will show as much discretion fixing as though you did otherwise.

It isn't late, yet, but you and I have often noticed the fellow who is all ready at the right time isn't troubled with the perspiration under the collar nearly as much as the one who is going to do better another time.

SEWARD & MARSHALL.

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C. A. Critchlow, M. D.,
Homeopathic Physician and Surgeon.
Office over Broughton's store—former office of Andrews & Woodman. [571]

Zell L. Baldwin, M. D.,
Physician and Surgeon, Lawrence, Mich.
Office hours—1 to 4 p. m. Radical cure of Hernias, and Diseases of Rectum given special attention. [3080126]

W. J. Johnson, V. D., V. S.,
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Calls promptly attended to. Charges reasonable. Office at Longwell Bros' drug store, Paw Paw, Mich. [3041-ly]

J. D. HAMILTON, M. D.,
Physician and Surgeon. Office over the Wolverine Pharmacy. Calls promptly attended to at all hours. [2032ly]

W. C. Y. Ferguson, D. D. S.,
Dental Parlors.

All operations, including Crown and Bridge work, rendered as painless as possible. Office in Longwell Block, 2093ly] Paw Paw, Mich.

Money to Loan
On Farms. Inquire of E. A. Crane, Kalamazoo, Mich. [87413]

Dentistry.
J. F. Perry, dentist, will visit Paw Paw every Wednesday. Regulating teeth, and crown and bridge work a specialty. Office with Dr. J. D. Hamilton. [741]

Heckert & Chandler,
Attorneys and Solicitors. Do a general law business. Paw Paw, Mich. [78]

THOMAS J. CAVANAUGH,
Lawyer.
Office over First Nat'l Bank, Paw Paw. Money to loan on real estate. [1927]

Wanted—A Man
In every section at once to sell staple goods to dealers; no peddling; experience unnecessary; best side line. \$75 a month. Salary and expenses or large commission made. Address, with 2 cent stamp for sealed particulars, Clifton Soap and Manufacturing Company, Cincinnati, Ohio. [2002ly]

Titus & McNeil,
Attorneys at Law, Abstract building, Law, insurance and collections. [82ly]

The two Satchels.
With satchel in hand to Satchell he goes. For Satchell's the man to clean up your clothes; The place you will have no trouble to find—The very best place in town of the kind. He will do your work good; do your work cheap; So take your old clothes to North Rose street.

Dyeing and Dry Cleaning of Ladies' Dresses, without ripping, a specialty. 114 North Rose st., Kalamazoo. Leave orders with Will Miller, merchant tailor, Paw Paw. [53]

D. Anderson, Jr.,
Attorney and Counselor at Law and Solicitor in Chancery. Special attention given to collections. Office over Paw Paw Savings Bank. [2073ly]

Hinkley & Graham
Will run a covered carriage to meet all M. C. trains at Lawton. Regular prices. Leave orders at Dyckman House or at the barn. Special attention given to draying, moving, etc. [861]

Paw Paw Savings Bank.
Capital \$50,000.00 F. W. SELICK, Pres., JOHN W. FREE, Cashier.
Board of Directors.
J. J. WOODMAN, DAVID FISHER, JOHN LYLE, WILLIAM LYLE, JOHN W. FREE, W. H. SELICK, F. W. SELICK, WILLIAM J. SELICK.
Interest paid on Certificates of Deposit. [2044ly]

Painting, Paper Hanging, Etc.
I am now prepared to execute orders for house and carriage painting, paper hanging, glazing, &c., &c. Shop over Johnson's wagon shop. Leave orders at shop or at Dyckman House. [361]

W. B. COOPER.

Have added a full line of Plain and Fancy GROCERIES To their stock. Call on them for anything in Groceries or Baked Goods.

F. P. GRIMES.

Real Estate & Insurance Agent, Paw Paw, Mich.

Several good farms and houses and lots for sale. [2044ly]

MONUMENTS! MONUMENTS!!



L. A. WHITMAN, PAW PAW, MICH. No agents employed. Can save you one-quarter in price. [2040ly]

The leading fire insurance companies represented by E. F. PARKS.

Miller, the Fashionable Tailor.
Rooms in Longwell block. Satisfaction guaranteed. Repairing done. [2038ly]

New Millinery Parlors.
I have opened a Millinery Parlor in the Fowler building, across from the postoffice, with a fresh new stock, and solicit the patronage of all my old friends, and new ones as well. Mrs. H. Gardner also has a full line of fancy goods, silks, stamping, etc. Hair work done to order. [871]

H. W. McCabe, Auctioneer.
Is now prepared to make sales of farm and other property on reasonable terms. Office in Masonic block, Paw Paw.

Butler's City Bus Line.
Orders for private houses should be left at the Post Office. We never miss the train. G. E. BUTLER, Prop. 521f.

Passenger Line to Lawton.
John Burns' wagonette—closed vehicle—makes every train at Lawton. 25 cents. Leave orders at Tyler's drug store or at Burns' livery barn. [634]

Speaking of Hats.
It is well to think about whether you are getting old styles or new. We have no old goods in stock and the ladies are quick to find out that we lead in spring styles and low prices. Call and see our goods before making any purchases of spring millinery. Full line of wash and embroidery silks. Mrs. M. L. O'DELL.

Going to Church.
An active, intelligent church member, male or female, wanted to represent us for special work. Splendid inducement to right party. No capital needed. Reference required. Good pay. State age and previous occupation, also name of church and denomination. Address Globe Bible Publishing Co., 723 Chestnut st., Philadelphia, Pa. [982]

Bruner, Wall & Co.
Contractors, Builders, and Building Movers, having gone into partnership, are now ready to take contracts for all kinds of building and building moving. Material, plans and estimates furnished on demand. We have also a large line of samples for steel siding and roofing, which we will lay. See us and get figures before building. 911f] BRUNER, WALL & CO.

Suffering with Weak Eyes.
All people who abuse their eyes by using inferior glasses, not properly fitted, or anyone suffering with headache, which all come from the eyes, should remember that there is a remedy in correct lenses. Orders left at the Paw Paw, Hartford or Bangor postoffices will be promptly attended to by Prof. B. Miner & Son, opticians. 901f]

Money to loan on Real Estate. E. F. PARKS.

Local Department.

Lyle Buckhout is home from Jackson.

H. M. Olney of Hartford was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. A. C. Martin is at Hillsdale visiting friends.

Will Cooper is now sole proprietor of the bakery.

Hon. A. B. Copley of Decatur was in town Tuesday.

Frank Taylor of Hartford was on our streets Monday.

Ed. Bullard has been quite ill, but is now convalescent.

Mrs. John Bullard of Saginaw is a guest at J. F. Bullard's.

Miss Anna Murphy of Dowagiac is the guest of Miss Pearl Haggart.

Mrs. Clara Duncombe of Keeler is the guest of Paw Paw friends.

Children's Day exercises at the M. E. church next Sunday morning.

S. F. Master, Esq., of Kalamazoo was in town Tuesday on legal business.

Born, Thursday morning, June 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Cole, a daughter.

H. H. Howard of Bloomingdale was a caller at the NORTHERNER office yesterday.

Children's Day will be observed at the Disciple church Sunday evening, June 16.

Dr. Critchlow has rented the rooms over Broughton's store and now has his office there.

"Flora" will entertain the grange at the meeting on Friday evening, June 14, with a special program.

David Chapman has been seriously ill, threatened with pneumonia, since last Friday. He is now improving.

An Antwerp woman claims ownership to two chickens with four legs each—both from the same brood.

Rev. J. H. Rennie has been engaged by the graduating class of our high school to deliver the baccalaureate sermon.

Married, June 1, at the parsonage, by Rev. W. R. Stinchcomb, John A. Welch of Texas, Mich., to Almira Allen of Waverly.

A substantial improvement is the continuation south of the Niles street graveling from the corner by Dr. Maynard's to the race.

Mrs. Geo. M. Harrison and the baby are occupying a cottage at Lake Park. George drives down every evening and back to town in the morning.

This (Friday) evening ice cream and cake will be served on St. Mary's church grounds. Colored lanterns, flags and bunting will decorate and beautify the lawn. Everyone invited.

Mrs. Cynthia Tirrell was married on Wednesday evening of last week to Jared Doughty of Mt. Pleasant, at which place they will make their home.

When it comes to spray pumps or the care and repair of tools, Seward & Marshall are in it to all intents and purposes. See their adv. in this issue.

Children's Day will be observed next Sunday at the Free Baptist church. A good program has been prepared. All interested will be cordially welcomed.

The young ladies and gentlemen of class two, of the F. B. Sunday school, will serve ice cream on the court house grounds Saturday afternoon and evening.

The interior of the First National bank has been handsomely papered and painted and the front has been repainted, making a very pleasant place to do business.

Quite a number of orchards in this township and Antwerp have been wholly denuded of foliage by worms. They look as though they had been burned with fire.

Fishing parties go out to some of our lakes every day, and almost invariably come in with good catches. The fish, particularly perch, are biting lively now-a-days.

W. H. Longwell will take a vacation from his duties as teller at the First National bank. Bert P. Bryar will assist Cashier Parks during Mr. Longwell's absence.

Still another large stock of that very popular garment, shirt waists, is now being shown at the Cumings dry goods store. The sales of this garment are simply immense.

Special attention is called to the summary of the laws enacted by the Michigan legislature during the session just closed, which is published on the sixth page of this paper.

Holmes & Bilsborrow are closing out their entire stock of fishing tackle (the finest in the place) at prices astonishingly low, and invite an inspection of the same by all fishermen.

The Prospect Valley farmers' association will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Tuckey, Thursday, June 13. Response to roll-call: "Flowers, plants and fruits of the Bible."

C. C. Engle, A. H. Smith and G. E. Prater have been re-appointed by the township board as yellowed commissioners. Dr. Hoyt was appointed as township health officer.

The latest fish story that comes to us is from Waverly, and sets up the claim of a Glendale youth to taking a muskallonge weighing 19 pounds from the north branch of the Paw Paw, near the "eagle's nest."

Harry Showerman has one hundred light-weight merchant tailor suits of the very latest styles, which he will close out for less than one-half the regular price. This is a great opportunity to get a stylish suit very cheap.

Children's Day will be observed at the Presbyterian church next Sunday. In the morning the pastor will address the children; chorus choir by members of the Sunday school. Concert in the evening. All are most cordially invited.

Mrs. Chas. Wickes and children are at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Chapman. Mr. Wickes is at work in Dowagiac, to which place they drove overland from Nebraska, where they have made their home for several years.

Egyptologists (and others) will find much of interest in Sellick's new ad. in this issue. After telling all they can about the Sphinx, they give a short chapter on Chinese matting, mosquito nets, jersey vests and other refreshing summer topics.

Elder F. W. Mutchler will attend the quarterly district meeting of the Disciples now in session at Kalamazoo, and will remain over Sunday. There will be no services in the church on that day except the Sunday school and endeavor meeting.

Up to date in their advertising and their business methods, as well as in the goods they sell, E. Smith & Co. have a busy store these days. Their cartoon "ads" have made a hit and people are finding that it is just as cheap to have the best clothing as some make not so good as the "H. S. & M." which is sold only at the Long Brick Store.

During Tuesday's storm, lightning played a peculiar prank at the home of Sim Morton, just west of the village. The house was struck and a trunk and other articles in the upper story were knocked to pieces. The lightning then passed to the first floor of the house, down the wall behind a bed upon which Mrs. Morton and another woman were lying, killing a dog that was under the bed. The women were only slightly shocked.

The Decatur correspondent of the Kalamazoo Telegraph believes in taking time by the forelock. He evidently wrote up the Van Buren pioneers' meeting before it was held, taking the program as his guide. He located the meeting in the school house grove, whereas it was not held there at all, but was held in the town hall. Had the program been carried out in the order it was published, his account would not have been so badly mixed.

At the regular meeting of the common council, Monday evening, a resolution was adopted fixing the electric lighting rate for the year beginning Sept. 1 at the same figures as at present, and the lighting committee and secretary were authorized to do wiring and make contracts in accordance therewith. The fire limits were abridged so as leave W. J. Thomas' barn outside the limits. Bills were allowed to the amount of \$616.29, of which \$284.92 was for graveling and other street work, \$45 for the expense of delegates from the Paw Paw fire department to the state tournament, \$66.47 for electric lighting purposes, and \$219.90 from the general fund for miscellaneous purposes.

All parties claiming to own horse sheds on the Disciple church grounds are requested to call on the church clerk, I. W. Hulbert, within thirty days and establish their claims. After that date, the trustees will lock up all sheds that have not been satisfactorily accounted for to the clerk.

A summer teachers' institute will be held in Paw Paw, commencing July 29 and continuing three weeks. Supt. C. O. Hoyt of Lansing will be conductor; J. A. O'Leary, assistant conductor and local committee; Prof. E. A. Aseltine of Gableville and F. C. Penoyer of Bangor, instructors. Every teacher in the county should attend the institute during the entire three weeks if possible to do so. Teachers should of all people be the most wide-awake and progressive, and cannot afford to fall behind the times or get into a rut.

The Spiritualists of Texas cordially invite their friends and the public generally to a reunion under the oaks in Burdick's Grove, on Sunday, June 9. Hon. L. V. Moulton of Grand Rapids will address the people at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. Others may be heard. Mrs. Harry Worthington, a noted singer, will preside at the organ. Mr. Moulton's topic will be: "The difficulties encountered by an investigator of spiritualism." Also the various theories to account for it, viz: Mind-reading, tricks, telepathy, the devil or spirits, which?

H. F. Thomas, congressman of this district, announces the following board to conduct the competitive examination for the selection of a candidate for West Point: Dr. Simeon Belknap of Niles, Prof. J. W. Humphrey of Wayland and Hon. W. J. Willets of Three Rivers. All those expecting to take the examination are requested, if possible, to report at Dr. Belknap's office in Niles the afternoon of June 11, the day before the examination. Those failing to report the day before should be at his office not later than 8 o'clock a. m., June 12.

A grand Fourth of July celebration will be held at Lakeside Park, better known as Eagle Lake. The management intends to make this an occasion long to be remembered. The oration will take place at 2 p. m. Among the many amusements prepared for the day will be horse races, foot races, boat races, tub races, graced pig chases, greased pole climbing, etc., with bowery dancing, day and night. Excellent music is engaged. Refreshments can be obtained on the grounds, and there will be boats and fishing tackle to let.

Hon. M. S. Curtis of Battle Creek, grand keeper of records and seal of the Knights of Pythias, was in Paw Paw on Tuesday evening to confer with a number of local knights and other gentlemen who are interested in the organization of a lodge of the order in this place. A meeting was held in Sheriff Lamberson's office, a number of Gobleville knights being present. No definite action was taken. Mr. Curtis was a member of the legislature that has just adjourned, having been elected by a majority of about 1500 in a district where his republican predecessor received less than 50 majority two years before.

At a meeting of the school board held last Saturday morning, the following teachers were elected for the coming year: Superintendent, H. C. Wilson; principal, Minnie Walter; 1st intermediate, Maggie Bryar; 1st primary, Marie Cooper; 2d primary, Bertha Bailey. The matter of filling the positions of assistant in the high school and teachers in the grammar school and 2d intermediate was left for future consideration. The board decided that the regular commencement exercises should be held in the rink as heretofore, and that the Dowagiac orchestra should be engaged to furnish the music. The grammar school graduation exercises will be held at the opera house and, as was done last year, an admission fee of ten cents will be charged.

J. C. Maxwell, brother of Dr. J. E. Maxwell of Decatur, has secured the office now occupied by Dr. Hoyt and will soon locate here for the practice of medicine. Dr. Hoyt will move into the office of the late Dr. Whalen. Mr. Maxwell is a young man who will graduate from the medical department of the university at Ann Arbor this month. He graduated in the pharmacy department, and studied in the offices of Drs. Rose and Maxwell at Decatur. When he arrives here with his diploma from Ann Arbor, he will be exceptionally well equipped for the practice of his chosen profession. The editor of this paper has an intimate personal acquaintance with him and recommends him to the people of Paw Paw and vicinity as a courteous gentleman of excellent habits and of much more than ordinary ability. We speak him a welcome and a lucrative practice in this place.

Another base ball meeting was held at the office of T. J. Cavanaugh on Monday evening. It was decided to organize a stock company with one hundred or more shares of stock at \$1.00 each. T. J. Cavanaugh, J. Jay Cumings, J. E. Chandler, J. D. Hamilton, J. D. Holmes were chosen as the board of directors. J. E. Chandler, J. D. Holmes and J. Cumings were appointed a committee to solicit stock subscription. M. O. Rowland was made secretary and treasurer, T. J. Cavanaugh manager, and E. S. Briggs captain of the team. The team will be made up from the following: Stapleton, Briggs, B. Showerman, Haggart, O'Leary, Lee, Pagsley, Nelson, Lamberson, Snow. It will be gratifying to most people to know that Paw Paw will have a team, and especially that the team will be mostly home men with no salaries players. There is no reason why such a team should not be self sustaining after once started. The location of grounds is not yet definitely determined, although it is probable the old depot grounds will be secured.

[Additional Local on 8th page.]